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**TO: CONSULTANTS**

**FROM: ENGINEERING CONSULTANTS SECTION**

**SUBJECT: NEW 1996 AASHTO SPECIFICATIONS**

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